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Isabela de Sagua.—Acting Asst. Surg. Pedro Garcia Riera reports that during the week ended September 29, 1900, the death rate was 37.56 per 1,000, and for the week ended October 6 the death rate was 18.77 per 1,000. Fourteen vessels were inspected on arrival; 2 of these were foreign vessels and 12 coastwise vessels. Two bills of health were issued to foreign vessels and 9 certificates of inspection to coasting vessels.

Caibarien.—Acting Asst. Surg. Leoncio Junco reports that the sanitary condition of port and town is good, the prevalent disease being malarial fever. The death rate during the week was 0.00 per 1,000. One foreign vessel and 6 coasting vessels were inspected and passed on arrival. Three certificates of inspection were issued to coasting vessels.

Respectfully,

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The SURGEON-GENERAL,

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Reports from Nuevitas, Gibara, Baracoa, Puerto Padre, Banes, and Mayari.

NUEVITAS, CUBA, October 2, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report for the week ended September 29, 1900:

During this week 6 vessels have arrived, and 5 bills of health were issued. Only 1 death occurred, and the sanitary condition is fairly good. Only 2 substations have sent their telegraphic reports, due to the fact of interruption in the wires.

Gibara.—Arrivals, 5; bills of health, 5; deaths, 2; fair sanitary condition.

Baracoa.—Arrivals, 5; bills of health, 5; deaths, 1.

Respectfully,

OWEN W. STONE,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

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NUEVITAS, CUBA, October 8, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report for the week ended October 6, 1900:

Nuevitas.—During this week 6 vessels arrived and 4 bills of health were issued. Only 1 death occurred, and no quarantinable disease is known to exist in this town and surrounding country.

Report of substations.

Puerto Padre.—Vessels arrived, 4; bills of health issued, 4; deaths, none.

Gibara.—Vessels arrived, 3; bills of health issued, 6; deaths, 5; no quarantinable disease.

Banes.—Arrivals, none; bills of health, none; deaths, 2.

Mayari.—Telegraphic communications still interrupted.

Baracoa.—Arrivals, 3; bills of health, 3; deaths, 2.

Respectfully,

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